

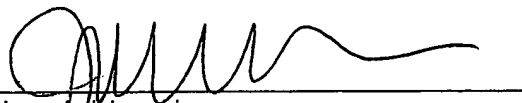


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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) that was mailed on March 24, 2006, Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified application is a

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment;
- ☒ Declaration of Inventors;
- ☒ Postcard;
- ☒ Petition for Extension of Time;
- ☒ Copy of Notification;
- ☒ Certificate of Mailing; and
- ☒ Forms PTO/SB/80 and PTO/SB/96 for Dr. Reddy's Research Foundation.

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME:**

X It is hereby requested that the following extension of time and fee be applied for this Response pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a):

**Large Entity:**

- \$ 120 fee for response within first month;  
       \$ 450 fee for response within second month;  
       \$ 1020 fee for response within third month;  
X \$1590 fee for response within fourth month;  
       \$2160 fee for response within fifth month.

       Our check in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_, for payment of the extension fee, is enclosed.

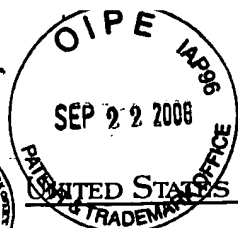
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X The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of any additional extension or other fee under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 which may be required by this paper or credit any overpayment of same to Deposit Account No. 50-3221.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: September 22, 2006

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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/20/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/20/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/20/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 12/20/2005
- Specification filed on 12/20/2005
- Claims filed on 12/20/2005
- Abstracts filed on 12/20/2005

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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